



THE CASSOWARY.

A Peculiar Bird That Fishes With Its Feathers.

Habits of the cormorant and of the fish hawk are generally known. Their methods of taking fish are very much like those of birds of prey. But the cassowary fishes according to a method of its own. A well known naturalist witnessed its operations on a river in the island of New Britain.

He saw a cassowary come down to the water's edge and stand for some minutes apparently watching the water carefully. It then stepped into the river where it was about three feet deep and, partially squatting down, spread its wings out, submerging them, the feathers being spread and ruffled.

The bird remained motionless and kept its eyes closed as if in sleep. It remained in this position for a quarter of an hour, when, suddenly closing its wings and straightening its feathers, it stepped out on the bank. Here it shook itself several times, whereupon a quantity of small fishes fell out of its wings and from amid its feathers. These the bird immediately picked up and swallowed.

The fishes had evidently mistaken the feathers for a kind of weed that grows in the water along the banks of the rivers in this island and which much resembles the feathers of the cassowary. The smaller fishes hide in these weeds to avoid the larger ones that prey on them.—Exchange.

THE MOON.

Its Visual Size No Greater When It Is High Than When It Is Low.

The artist has to choose between scientific truth and "convention" when he sets out to paint the moon. A three-penny piece fixed at a distance of six feet from the eye (say at the end of a horizontal six foot pole, the other end of which is made to press the lower edge of the eye socket) will just cover the disk of either the sun or the moon hanging in the sky. It is an absolute fact that this is true whether the moon (or the sun) be high in the sky or low down near the horizon.

The real "visual size" of the moon's disk is no greater when it is low than when it is high. No one who reads what I have just written will believe me. Every one thinks that he knows that the disk of the harvest moon or of the setting sun occupies a larger space in the sky when low than when high. This is due to a judgment or mental process and is an erroneous one. The eye is not at fault, but the curiously untrustworthy mind is.

What, then, is the painter to do? He yields to prejudice and often paints the low moon or low sun of a size which compared with scientific fact is ridiculously exaggerated.—Sir E. Ray Lankester in London Telegraph.

Her Choice.

They were sisters-in-law and reasonably well disposed toward each other. One was the mother of George, aged six months, and the other was the mother of Marian, aged six months and four days. It was impossible that a slight parental rivalry should be altogether concealed.

"Marian does not seem to grow very fast," said the mother of George, with a suggestion of commiseration in her tones. "George is much taller"—(height being measured in inches).

"Perhaps he is," replied the mother of Marian coldly, "but Marian weighs more."

"Oh, well," responded the sister-in-law, with a smile of high bred superiority, "of course I should not wish George to be gross."—Exchange.

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The Kettledrum in Music.

In a lecture delivered at the Royal Society of Arts by Gabriel Cleather on the "Musical Aspect of Drums" it was contended that the kettledrum was one of the few perfect instruments in the orchestra, owing to the exactness of its scale. The kettledrum, he contended, was perfectly competent to produce atmosphere as well as rhythm. Even to tune the instrument three things were required—a perfect musical ear, a fine sense of touch and five years' experience. After playing over a kettledrum melody, written eighty years ago, from Meyerbeer's "Robert le Diable," Mr. Cleather continued, "I venture to say that, outside the musical profession, not one person in a hundred of those who listen to an orchestra in England today knows that tympani have notes and can give out a melody." No instrument, he added, had a greater range of power than the kettledrum, for none could be played more softly, and none had greater penetrating power.—Dundee Advertiser.

Story or Sermon?

"I was telling Baby Hilda a fairy story one night," said the sky pilot. "Baby Hilda is my little girl. The story was all about another little girl who was chased by bears and who ran to the edge of a steep mountain and jumped off. No, she didn't die. The minute she jumped off she turned into a bird with wings and flew. That was the story."

"Baby Hilda thought awhile about it, then she looked up and said, 'Papa, is that story true or was it just preaching?'"—New York Press.

Our Shaping.

"Chance shapes our destinies," quoted the wise guy.

"Well, all I have to say is that some of us have mighty poor shapes," added the simple mug.—Philadelphia Record.

A Safe Proposition.

I lay it down as a safe proposition that the fellow who every little while has to break into the bab's bank for car fare isn't going to evolve into a Baron Rothschild.—Philip D. Armour.

Oblivion.

Oblivion is the dark page whereon memory writes her light beam characters and makes them legible. Were it all light nothing could be read there any more than if it were all darkness.

It is too late to throw water on the cinders when the house is burned down.—Danish Proverb.

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BILL FOR DIVORCE.

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida.—In Chancery. Susie Brown vs. William Brown. Order Publication. Bill for Divorce.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that W. G. Maine, the defendant therein named, is a non-resident of the State of Florida, but is a resident of Westerly, Rhode Island; that there is no person in this State the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind said defendant, and that he is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident defendant be and he is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1909, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This August 18th, 1909.
[Seal] S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.
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In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida.—In Chancery. Susie Brown vs. William Brown. Order Publication. Bill for Divorce.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that William Brown, the defendant therein named, is a resident of the State of Florida, and that he has been absent more than 60 days next preceding this application for an order of publication, and that he is concealing himself so that service of process cannot be made upon him and that there is no person in the State of Florida the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind said defendant, and is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident defendant be and he is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1909, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This August 24th, 1909.
[Seal] S. H. WIENGES, Clerk Circuit Court.
By M. S. CHEVES, D. C.
H. G. MASON, Solicitor for Complainant.

BILL FOR DIVORCE.

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua County, Florida.—In Chancery. Susie Brown vs. William Brown. Order Publication. Bill for Divorce.

It appearing by affidavit appended to the bill filed in the above stated cause that Miller Boyd Weir, the defendant therein named, is a non-resident of the State of Florida, but is a resident of Americus, Georgia, when she last knew his whereabouts, and he is over the age of twenty-one years; it is therefore ordered that said non-resident defendant be and he is hereby required to appear to the Bill of Complaint filed in said cause on or before Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1909, otherwise the allegations of said bill will be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is further ordered that this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Gainesville Sun, a newspaper published in said county and State.

This August 17th, 1909.
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